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The references are listed in Form PTO-1449 which is in accordance with the requirements of M.P.E.P. 609. A copy of the references is also enclosed.

The references are as follows:

- 1. US Patent No. 6,214,852 B1
- 2. WO 98/16528 A1
- 3. WO 99/21845 A3
- 4. WO 99/65897 A1

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11. WO 01/56567 A1

12. WO 01/74771 A1

13. International Search Report dated November 13, 2002

It is respectfully requested that these references be considered by the Patent and Trademark Office in its examination of the above-identified application and be made of record therein. The Examiner is also invited to contact the undersigned if there are any questions concerning this paper or the attached references.

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